

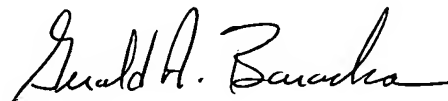
REMARKS

Claims 1-15, which the Examiner has indicated are allowable, remain in the application. Claims 16-17 have been cancelled.

The paragraph at page 3, lines 9-20, has been replaced to correct the informalities noted by the Examiner. The Examiner is correct in her observation that the recited weight percentage ranges for the polyolefin and activated carbon recited at lines 11-14 are inconsistent with the ranges provided in every other instance in the specification. It is obvious that for activated carbon structures obtained by such processes the binder will be the minor component. Applicants apologize for the oversight and have made the appropriate correction.

In view of the cancellation of Claims 16 and 17, Applicants believe the claims are in condition for allowance. Accordingly, reconsideration and favorable action by the Examiner are requested.

Respectfully submitted,



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